adhere to the criteria laid down by my predecessor in his rulings on March 4 and November 11, 1986.

I am having a copy of the Report of the Committee on Papers Laid on the Table forwarded to the Minister of Finance and am also getting the copies of the Report circulated to Members for their information.

श्री चतुरानन मिश्र (बिहार) : मान्यवर, आपने और आपके प्रेडिसेसर ने रूलिंग दी है, आपके सक्सेसर को भी यही कमेंट नही करना पड़े, इसकी गारंटी यदि जरा करवा देते, तो अच्छा होता ।

श्री सभापति : ईश्वर से प्रार्थना करते हैं ।

श्री चतुरानन मिश्र : भगवान इनको सद्बुद्धि दे ।

श्री अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी (मध्य प्रदेश) : सभापति जी, आप सरकार को फटकार लगाइये । यह मामला ऐसा है कि उनको फटकारना चाहिए ।

श्री सभापति : वह तो शब्दों में काफी छिपी हुई फटकार है ।

श्री अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी: नहीं, इनकी चमड़ी जरा मोटी है ।

THE TAMIL NADU STATE LEGISLATURE (DELEGATION OF POWERS) BILL, 1988

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): Mr. Chairman, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to confer on the President the power of the Legislature of the State of Tamil Nadu to make laws.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM: Sir, I introduce the Bill.

THE TAMIL NADU AGRICULTURAL SERVICE COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES (APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL OFFICERS) AMENDMENT BILL, 1988

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): Mr. Chairman, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Tamil Nadu Agricultural Service Cooperative Societies (Appointment of Special Officers) Act, 1986.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV: Sir, I introduce the Bill.

THE TAMIL NADU COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES (APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL OFFICERS) AMENDMENT BILL, 1988

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): Mr. Chairman, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Tamil Nadu Cooperative Societies (Appointment of Special Officers) Act, 1976.

The question was proposed.

SHRI V. GOPALSAMY (Tamil Nadu): Sir, I wanted to make a submission on the introduction of this Bill. Everybody is expecting to uphold the spirit of democracy, elections have to be conducted for the State Legislature of Tamil Nadu. But we are surprised over the announcement made by the Governor of Tamil Nadu, Dr. Alexander, that elections for cooperative societies will be held very soon. Therefore, I would like to know from the honourable Minister whether the Government will clarify this because if they conduct elections for cooperative societies, it